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## of Public Works

District Public Works Office  
Twelfth Naval District  
San Bruno, California

Re: Your (4:111-61a-64,22) letter NPT (Proposed Sewer Service  
to Moffett Field)

Attention Mr. G. B. Wood, Director, Utilities Division

Dear Mr. Wood:

This letter will reply to your request dated August 3, 1964, for a proposal to furnish sewage disposal service to the U.S. Naval Air Station, Moffett Field, and the National Aeronautics and Space Administration, Moffett Field, California.

The following information is submitted as an informal proposal inasmuch as, to be binding, a contract of this nature with the City must be approved by the City Council. The Council is aware of your request, and has indicated that they are willing for the City to provide sewage disposal service. However, it will be necessary to submit the proposed contract to them in its final form for their approval. Also, it is believed that a degree of flexibility should be retained for the moment, particularly with reference to location and type of connections, metering facilities, and other aspects of the proposal readily susceptible to change.

As you are aware, the City of Mountain View is planning to construct a sewer known as the East Trunk Sewer. Enclosed are three prints showing the proposed location of this sewer. The proposals set forth herein are based on the assumption that sewage disposal service would be provided Moffett Field by means of this sewer. The sewer is presently being designed, and the City is prepared to proceed with the construction of the sewer at an early date. In the event our proposal is accepted by the Navy,

as set forth below, the City's proposal as requested:

1. Navy shall comply with applicable requirements of Ordinance No. 175,630 known as the City of Mountain View Sewer Ordinance. Failure to comply with the applicable requirements of this ordinance will constitute a breach of contract.

and be cause for immediate cessation of sewage disposal service to Moffett Field.

2. During construction of the East Trunk Sewer, City shall make appropriate provision for connections from Moffett Field. However, the Navy shall extend their sewers as required to connect to said East Trunk Sewer, said extensions to be paid for by Navy. City will not levy a charge for making said connections.
3. The flow of sewage into the City's system shall be determined by one or more suitable metering systems which meet with the approval of both City and Navy. Said metering system or systems are to be constructed by Navy at Navy expense in conformity with plans approved by City. It is presumed these facilities would be located on Navy property somewhat ahead of the connections to the East Trunk Sewer. It is presumed by City that a suitable metering system would consist of a Parshall Flume equipped with appropriate recording devices or an acceptable equivalent. Once constructed, said metering facilities would be maintained by City at City expense throughout their useful life. Access to the metering equipment would be provided by Navy to designated employees or agents of City.
4. City proposes to provide sewage disposal service under Plan I at a cost of nine cents per 100 cu. ft. of sewage payable monthly. On the basis of present sewage flows estimated at 0.395 million gallons per day, the annual cost at this rate would be 192,747 hundred cubic feet at nine cents or \$17,347.23.
5. City proposes to provide sewage disposal service under Plan II at a cost of ten cents per 100 cu. ft. of sewage payable monthly. On the basis of present sewage flows estimated at 145,000 gallons per day, the annual cost at this rate would be 79755 hundred cubic feet at ten cents or \$7,075.50.
6. City shall have right to terminate contract by giving not less than 12 months advance written notice.
7. It is doubtful if a sewage meter will record within a range of 2% slow or fast. The contract should conform to the capability of the metering installation.

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8. The contract should make clear that the regulatory commission having jurisdiction over rates in this instance is the City Council of the City of Mount Airy.
9. It would be impractical for the City to comply with Section 10(g) of your standard contract. It would be necessary to exempt us from the provisions of this paragraph.

In the event any of the proposals set forth above are not compatible with your method of doing business, we will be happy to review them in the light of information which you may care to offer.

Yours very truly,

ORIGINAL SIGNED BY

A. M. MCKINNON  
Director of Public Works

Enclosures

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